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FM AMEMBASSY STOCKHOLM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 7446

INFO USMISSION GENEVA PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: GATT, ETRD, SW

SUBJECT: GATT COUNCIL/EXPORT INFLATION INSURANCE

REF: (A) STOCKHOLM 2227, (B) STATE 99208, (C) GENEVA 3115

1. ECONOFF MADE POINTS IN REF B WITH STAALBERG APRIL 26. HE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT HE HAD BEEN UNREALISTICALLY OPTIMISTIC ABOUT HOW FAST OECD GROUP ON EXPORT CREDITS AND CREDIT GUARANTEES MIGHT START MOVING, SAYING HE HAD BEEN PROMPTED BY DESIRE TO GIVE IT A CHANCE. HE WAS AWARE THAT OECD TRADE COMMITTEE HAD LEFT MATTER OF EXAMINATION OF EXPORT INFLATION INSURANCE SCHEMES RATHER VAGUE AND THAT AGREEMENT OF FRANCE TO THIS STUDY WAS SUBJECT TO QUESTION. STAALBERG SAID US AMPLIFICATION MADE CONSIDERABLE SENSE TO HIM, ALTHOUGH HE THOUGHT THAT IF FRANCE AND UK COULD NOT AGREE TO OECD EXAMINATION, THEY WOULD BE UNLIKELY TO AGREE TO GATT STUDY.

2. STAALBERG SAID THAT HE WOULD BE IN TOUCH WITH SWEDISH

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GENEVA DELEGATION TODAY ON SUBJECT. SWEDISH POSITION WOULD BE

MORE FORTHCOMING THAN HE HAD ORIGINALLY INDICATED. IF GATT  
WORKING GROUP IS ESTABLISHED, GOS WOULD CERTAINLY WISH TO  
PARTICIPATE.  
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